



POLITICAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR LAND ADMINISTRATION PLANING.
THE ROLE OF LAND MANAGEMENT FOR SOCIETY. BULGARIAN
EXPERIENCE IN DATA ESTABLISHMENT AND MAINTENANCE

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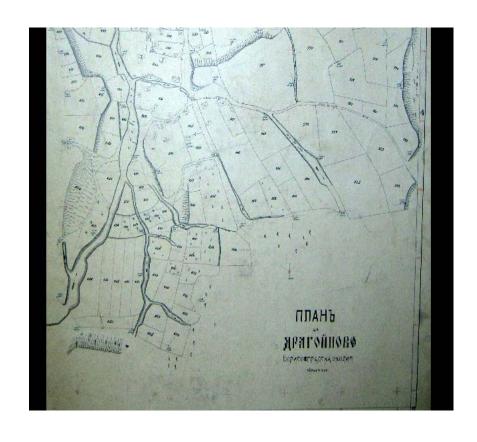
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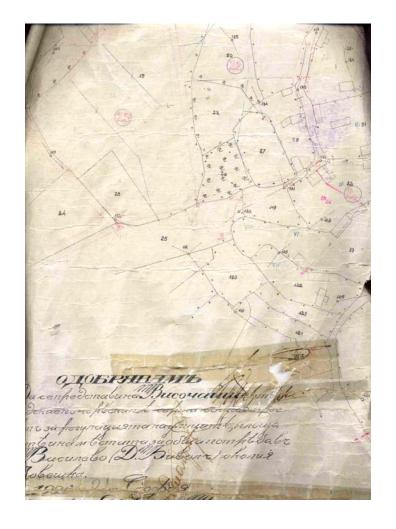
About 100 years of history of Cadastre in Bulgaria

- Cadastre Act (1908)
- Cadastre and Land Consolidation Act (1941)





➤ Law on the Unified Cadastre of Peoples Republic of Bulgaria (1979)





130 years activities of geodesy and cartography in Bulgaria

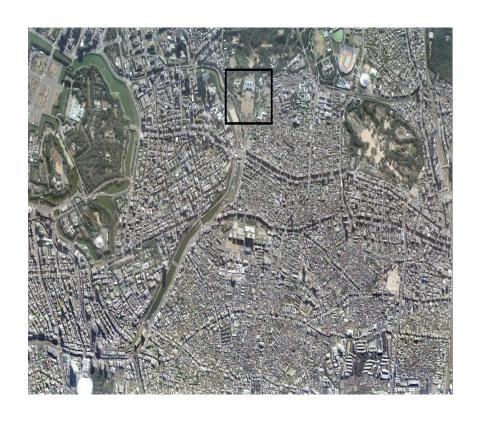
- ➤ 1877 first topographic map in scale 1:42000
- ➤ 1919 Geographic Institute is established
- ➤ 1920 1942 Setting up of State Triangulation Network (107 triangulation points) by the Geographic Institute
- ➤ 1920 1926 First measurement of the State Leveling Network -Ist order, length - 5 500 km with 4 500 benchmarks



1932 - 1952 – topographic map of Bulgaria in scale 1:25000

1985 – the whole territory of the country is covered by a large scale topographic map in scales 1:5000 and

1:10000





Authorities, responsible for cadastre and land ownership before year of 2000

- Municipal Offices Agriculture and Forests
- map of restored ownership
- decisions on restoration of ownership in agricultural land and forests.

Regional Directions Agriculture and Forests - MAF

Municipal Authorities

- cadastral plans of urban territories
- acts of municipal ownership.

Regional Authorities

- acts of state ownership

Notaries (private since 1997)

- performing required by law notarial activities

Regional Courts

- entry of acts, related to real rights



PROCESSES

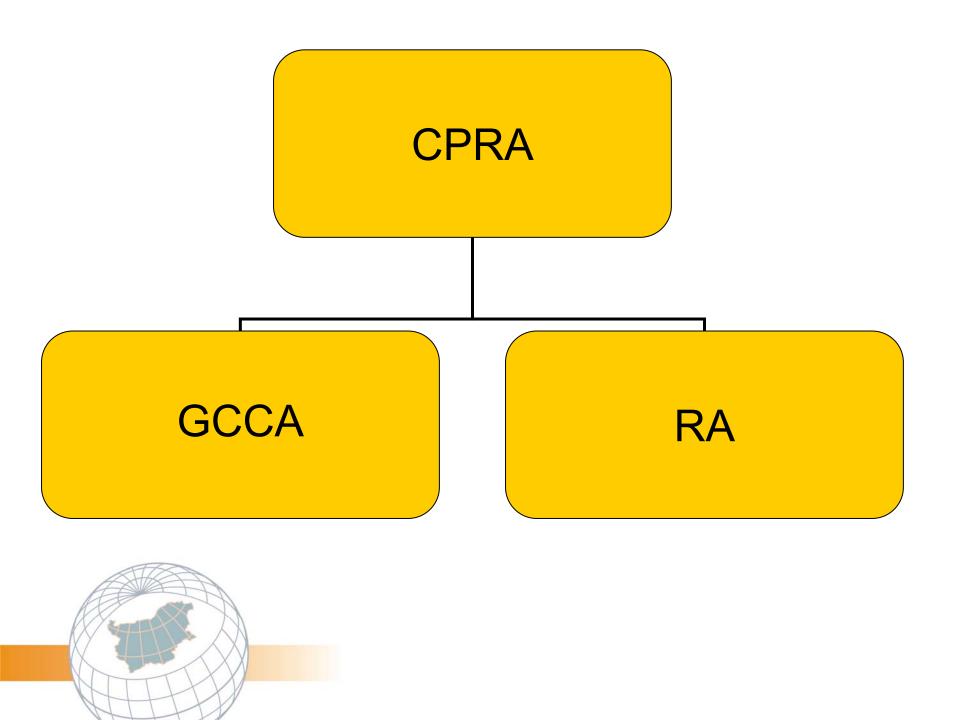
Restitution of the agricultural and forest land

Intensive privatisation



Use of land in Bulgaria

Type	Thousand of ha	% of total area	% of used area
1. Area	10 876.1	98.0	
1.1 Used agricultural area	5 330.5	48.0	
Used area	3 296.8		61.8
Long lasting pastures	1 800.8		33.8
Long Lasting sown fields, orchards	215.8		4.0
Other areas, including vegetable gardens	15.1		0.3
Hothouse crops	2.0		0.0
1.2 Afforested areas	3 734.5	33.6	
Including forest areas	3 601.3		
1.3 Other areas	1 811.1	16.3	
2. Water areas	223.2	2.0	
Areas total	11 099.4	100.0	100.0



REFORMS IN THE FIELD OF CADASTRE IN BULGARIA

☐ Legal reform:

- Restitution and privatization of immovable properties required amendment of cadastre related legislation.
- Cadastre and Property Register Act 2000.
- Geodesy and Cartography Act—2006.

☐ Institutional reform:

- Cadastre Agency 2000.
- Registry Agency 2004.
- Cadastre Agency becomes the single institution serving the users with cadastral information.



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- -Collecting and maintenance of cadastral information for the whole territory of Bulgaria.
- -Organization, financing and control of activities in the field of geodesy, cartography and cadastre
- Control for compliance with the legal framework







- Provision of services to the public

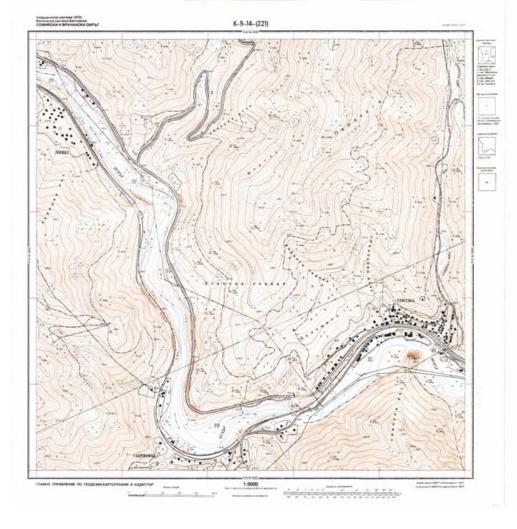




- Maintenance of the state geodetic, cartographic and cadastral fund (Geocardfund)







- Keeping the registers of licensed surveyor

- The Agency fulfils its role through its 28 regional units Geodesy, Cartography and Cadastre Offices.



Cadastre and Property Registration Project – co-financed with the World Bank

> Partners:

- Geodesy Cartography and Cadastre Agency
- Registry Agency





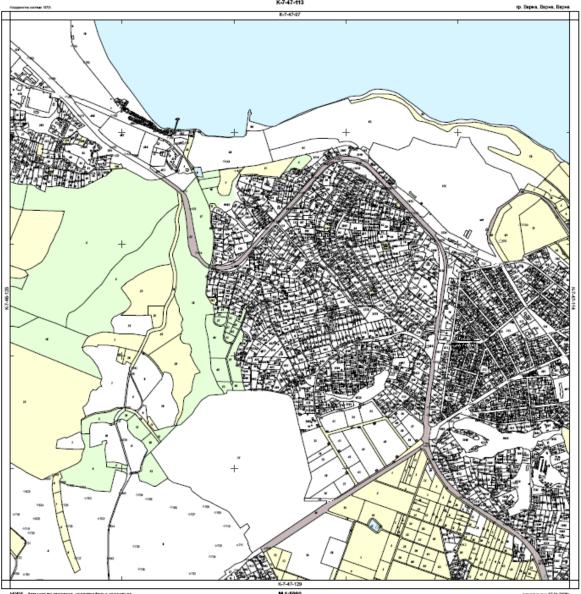


GOALS

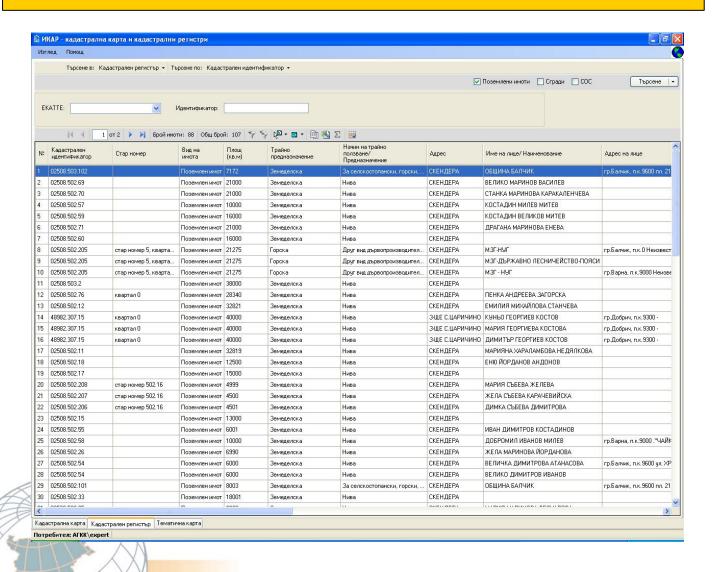
- Production of new cadastral map and cadastral registers in digital format;



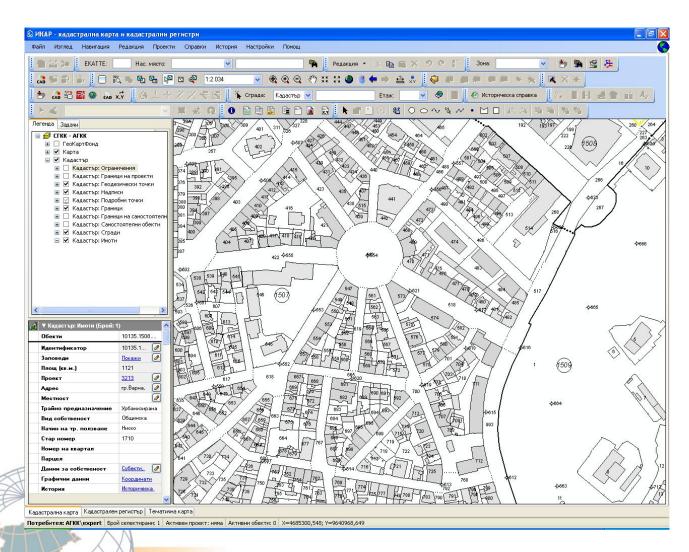
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-Production of property register in digital format;



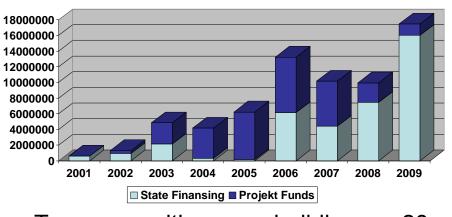
-Development of Cadastre and Property Register Information System



Equipment for the Geodesy Cartography and Cadastre Agency



Government engagement



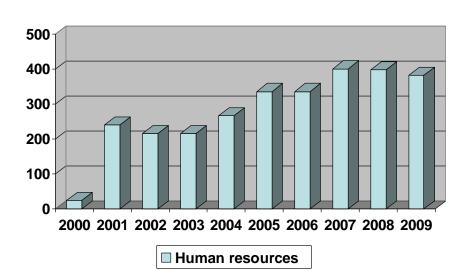
Financing

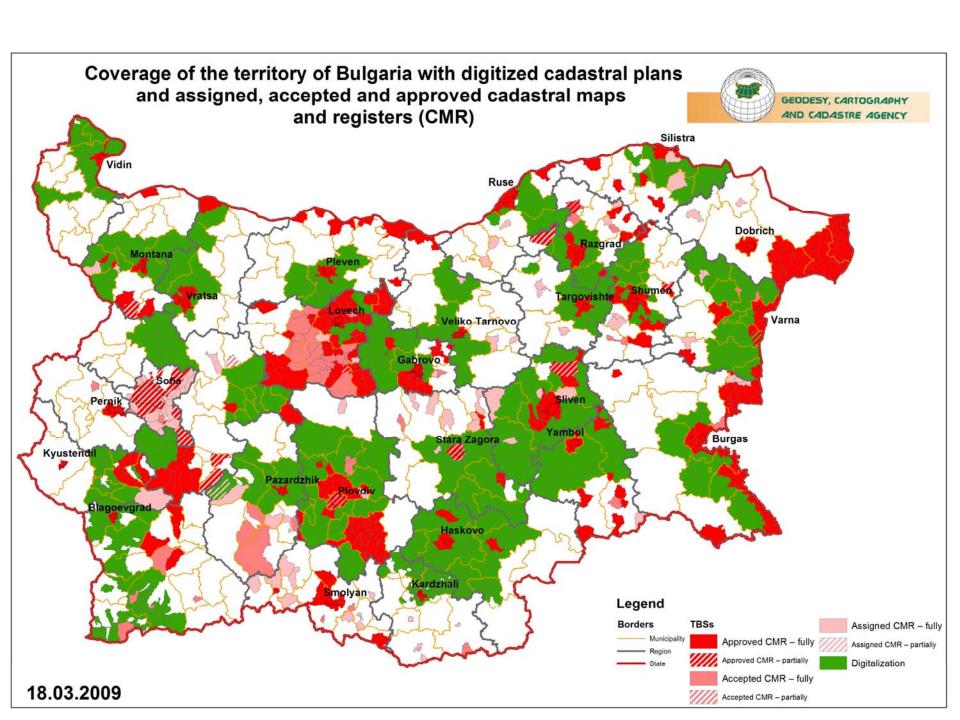
Funds spent on cadastral activities for the period 2001 - 2009 (BGN)

 To ensure with proper buildings – 28 regional offices and 19 outside working places

Human resources



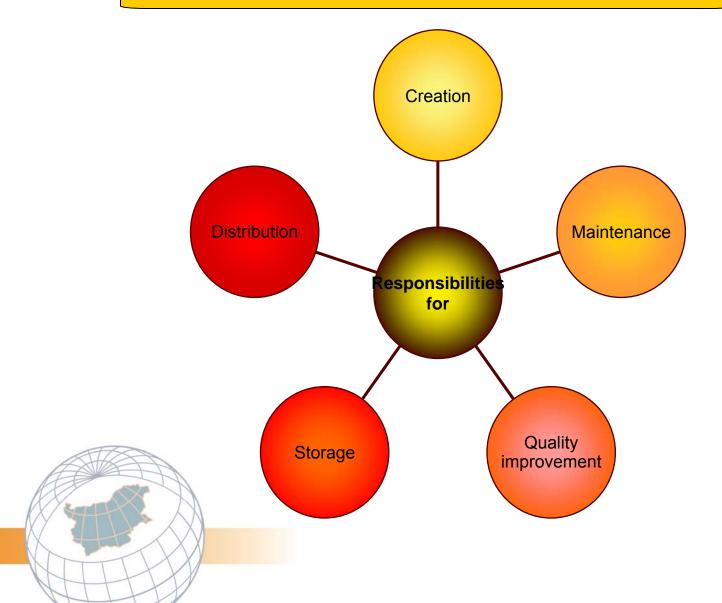




✓ Legal /juridical/ ✓ Spatial planning Fiscal Multifunctional



Multifunctional cadastre – Data availability



 Cadastre – small part of an new, inter branch science – <u>Land</u> <u>administration</u>



- Divisions
 - Legal
 - Financial
 - Spatial planing
 - Social

INSPIRE

For the Government

- Guarantee of the property rights
- Support of the tax administration /levying and valuations/
- Decreasing of land disputes and legal proceedings

For the business

- Credit assurance
- Mortgage superintendence and market

For the citizens

- Receiving information on-line
- Customer service
- Decreasing of land disputes and legal proceedings

The Land Administration Report – conclusions and recommendations

- Cooperation improvement
- Updating of the Strategy for Management of land resources
- Improvement of the legal framework for the relations between registration and spatial planning, land use and market
- Defining of strategic priorities in land management
- Resource provision of the sector financing, capacity building, technical

The LAR of Republic of Bulgaria can be found on WPLA – UNECE

web-page and can be used by foreign experts.

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CHALLENGES

- Creation of condition for promptly implementation of Directive 2007/2/EC establishing an Infrastructure for Spatial Information.
- Development of NSDI
- Increase of volume and quality improvement of the data
- Use of various instruments /including Public Private Partnership/

Thank You for the Attention!

